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IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

## VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Jean Jewell Commission Secretary Idaho Public Utilities Commission 472 W. Washington Boise, ID 83702

RE: GNR-E-16-01

IN THE MATTER OF THE ANNUAL REVISION AND UPDATED CALCULATION OF THE ADJUSTABLE PORTION OF THE AVOIDED COST RATE(S) FOR EXISTING PURPA CONTRACTS FOR AVISTA CORPORATION DBA AVISTA UTILITIES, FOR IDAHO POWER COMPANY, AND FOR PACIFICORP DBA ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER.

Dear Ms. Jewell,

Thank you for the letter from the Deputy Attorney General and worksheets dated May 12, 2016 which provided the 2016/2017 updated prices for the adjustable portion of the avoided costs rates under the present avoided cost methodology in accordance with Commission Order No. 28708.

PacifiCorp has reviewed the proposed prices and agrees that they have been updated correctly. This letter serves as the Company's acknowledgment that the new schedules are accurate.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey K. Larsen

Vice President, Regulation

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